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Applicant(s): Takakiyo Kanazawa et al.

Invention: OPTICAL PICKUP APPARATUS AND OPTICAL DISK APPARATUS

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**The Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.